

*Apparent Places of Comet b 1881 from Observations made with the North Equatorial of the Melbourne Observatory.
Aperture 4.5 inches. By R. L. J. Ellery, Esq., F.R.S.*

Melbourne Mean Time.	Observer.	Number of Measures.	Comet—Star.		Comet.		R.A.		N.P.D.		Comet.		Star.
d h m s			R.A.	N.P.D.	R.A.	N.P.D.	h m s	' "	' "	' "	° ' "	' "	
May 23 6 17 17.3	W.	4	+ 2 16.72	+ 2 54.22	4 58 48.61	125 13 32.3							Lacaille 1685
24 6 22 28.9		3	— 5 39.57	+ 4 28.73									a
24 6 33 18.3		2	— 8 58.94	+ 7 25.11									b
25 18 18 56.2		2	— 4 16.12	+ 2 38.74									c
26 6 10 1.6		3	— 5 5.41	+ 0 35.42									d
26 6 17 19.5		4	— 11 45.12	+ 0 33.70	5 0 16.62	123 40 44.9							B.A.C. 1644
28 18 10 56.9		3	+ 3 42.93	+ 7 4.91	5 1 35.63	122 3 49.0							B.A.C. 1564
29 5 39 5.0		6	+ 3 55.81	— 14 2.46	5 1 48.51	121 42 41.4							B.A.C. 1564
31 18 22 37.5		5	+ 7 54.15	— 11 5.73	5 3 12.43	119 34 13.3							Washington 2127
June 1 5 25 19.2		9	+ 0 27.56	— 1 23.01	5 3 26.26	119 6 40.0							2173
3 5 27 4.4		1	— 13 48.78	+ 4 25.75	5 4 36.52	116 53 37.1							2251
3 5 27 4.4		1	+ 1 23.70	— 3 35.23									e
3 6 4 21.1		4	+ 3 16.28	+ 12 37.37	5 4 37.65	116 51 36.9							Washington 2163

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d h m s			R.A.	N.P.D.	R.A.	N.P.D.	
June 4 18 15 58.8	W.	5	m s — 11 17.45	' " 2 13.56	h m s 5 5 36.14	114 51 10.3	Washington 2240
5 18 0 43.7		7	+ 1 49.10	+ 4 55.35			<i>f</i>
6 18 17 23.6		1	— 2 4.73	— 8 39.28	5 6 56.21	111 38 44.3	Lalande 9853
8 5 36 37.1		1	— 0 12.38	+ 5 41.66			<i>g</i>
8 18 17 42.1		5	+ 0 26.64	— 4 58.90			<i>h</i>
8 18 30 4.5		1	— 19 1.39	— 16 31.79	5 8 28.06	107 38 1.7	α Leporis
9 5 17 58.5		7	+ 1 11.37	+ 15 38.96	5 8 47.23	106 36 27.9	μ "
10 5 25 43.0		5	— 8 24.90	+ 4 59.94	5 9 39.29	104 7 25.2	8 "
10 6 3 13.6		4	+ 0 32.43	— 0 0.60			<i>i</i>
12 17 52 57.9		4	+ 0 20.66	— 22 33.10	5 12 11.39	96 35 54.8	τ Orionis
12 18 30 45.3		6	— 0 33.93	+ 8 34.76			<i>k</i>